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Applicants: Tavares, Bruce A. and Nelson, Bart J.  
Application's Title: POWDER METAL MIXTURE INCLUDING MICRONIZED CELLULOSE FIBERS  
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Group Art Unit: 1742 Examiner: NGOCLAN T. MAI  
Docket No.: 4588-00003B

**LETTER TRANSMITTING RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to a Final Rejection mailed 14 February 2006.

No additional fees are due.

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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